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Rudger Rubbert, et al.

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Virtual Models Of Objects

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Respectfully submitted.
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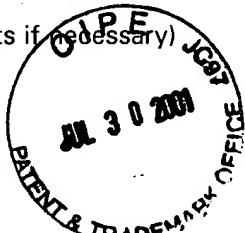
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